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THE EVENING TELEGRAM.

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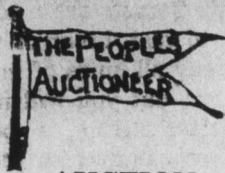
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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1917.

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NUMBER 284.

Auction Sales!



AUCTION.

At the British Hall on Thursday next, 13th Inst., at 10.30 a.m., a large quantity of Superior Household Furniture and Effects. Parties desirous of sending good articles for above sale will please do so on Monday and Tuesday. It is important that the list should be sent to my office not later than Monday morning for advertising purposes.

P. C. O'DRISCOLL,
dec6,51 Auctioneer.

Now Landing:

1000 Tons Anthracite COAL.

H. J. Stabb & Co.
nov29,eod,1f

Father Christmas and Santa Claus

Are this year making their display of TOYS in our Toy Department.

Here are Boxes of TOYS, Shelves full of TOYS, Counters full of TOYS, and TOYS under the Counters, too.

Our Second Floor is completely covered with them. TOYS for Girls and Boys. Come now and pick out the ones you like best.

The Boys' and Girls' Own Annuals, the Chatterbox, the Prize and all the other Children's favourite Annuals now showing. Boy Scout Books, Henty, Alger and Meade Books, thousands of volumes to select from at

DICKS & CO., Limited.
Biggest, Brightest, Busiest and Best Book, Stationery and Fancy Goods Store in Newfoundland.



Parcels for Nfld. Forces Overseas.

- (1) Parcels must not exceed 11 lbs. in weight.
- (2) Parcels addressed to members of the Newfoundland Forces Overseas should bear the name and address of a second addressee to whom the parcels may be delivered or forwarded if it should prove impossible to deliver the first. The original address should be written on the FRONT of the parcel where the postage stamps and Customs declaration are affixed, and the second or alternative address should be written on the BACK of the parcel.
- (3) If a second address is not furnished at the time of posting, and delivery cannot be effected, the contents of the parcel, unless of exceptional value or of a personal nature, will be turned over to the Military Authorities for distribution.
- (4) Parcels containing articles of a personal nature or of special value will be returned, if a request for their return in case of non-delivery is made by the sender, such request to be written on the cover of the parcel at the time of posting.
- (5) This plan is being adopted at the suggestion of the British Post Office, which states that the present procedure of holding undeliverable parcels at the Dead Letter Office until instructions are received as to their disposal is resulting in the waste of a large quantity of perishable foodstuffs, which form the contents of 80 per cent. of parcels addressed to soldiers.

J. R. BENNETT,
Minister of Militia.

MINARD'S LIMENT CURE S
DANDRUFF.

HALIFAX RELIEF COMMITTEE!

Notice to Societies!

The President and Secretary of the various Societies in the City were appointed members of the Halifax Relief Committee, and as the time is too short to issue a personal notification, they are asked to be present at a meeting THIS EVENING, in the Board of Trade Rooms, at 8 o'clock.

JNO. L. SLATTERY,
Sec'y Committee.
dec10,1i

J. J. ST. JOHN.

BIG DROP IN PROVISIONS.

We carry a large stock and our prices are lower than the other man's. Touch in and see.
450 brs. VICTOR FLOUR 200 brs. FIVE ROSES.
250 brs. ROBIN HOOD, 150 brs. VERBENA.
100 brs. DAILY BREAD.
120 puncheons BEST BARBADOES MOLASSES.
125 brs. PORK at \$42.50 and \$45.00 brl.
95 brs. BEEF at \$30.00.
1,000 bags CATTLE FEED.
500 bags GLUTEN FEED, \$4.00.
850 bags WHITE & MIXED OATS, 600 bags BRAN.

J. J. ST. JOHN,

136 and 138 DUCKWORTH STREET.

We have just received a shipment of

44,640

Tins of "2 in 1."

This is the largest shipment of Shoe Polish ever brought into Newfoundland. The sales of "2 in 1" increase monthly. It preserves the leather you know.

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A big word in war time. Don't waste money on useless trifles. Buy that Piano, the enduring gift, from

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Who has the largest stock of High-Class Pianos in the trade.

The Old Reliable Head Quarters for APPLES.

A FINE STOCK TO SELECT FROM.

Also just in: SWEET CALIFORNIA ORANGES and small cases LEMONS.
ONIONS—Both Bermudas and Valencia; NEW SEPTEMBER CREAM CHEESE.

And a fresh supply of the unrivalled WAGNER PORK & BEANS with Tomato Sauce.

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MINARD'S LIMENT CURE S
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Wanted!

TO BUY

Empty 5 Gallon Kerosene Oil Cans.

The Standard Mfg. Co., Ltd.,
Water St., East.

JUST IN

A line of
HANDSOME
HIGH CUT BOOTS for
Ladies,
\$6, \$7, \$8, \$9 and \$10.00
per pair.

See our catchy lines of
LADIES' BOOTS
at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00,
\$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50 and
\$7.00.

Perfect fitting guaranteed at our Ladies' Parlour.



F. SMALLWOOD,

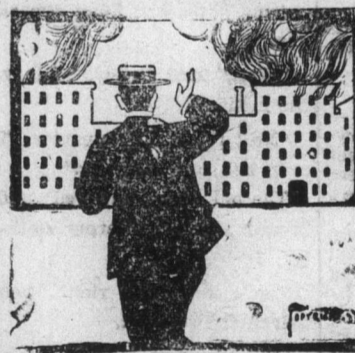
LADIES' DEPARTMENT.

Financial Department!

We again call attention that our FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT is now at your services for the Sale or Purchase of Newfoundland Government Debentures, Shares in Local Industries, Company Stocks and Bonds, and Real Estate Mortgages. Acts as Trustee, Liquidator or Assignee for the benefit of Creditors. Write or consult us for your wants in this Department. Information cheerfully furnished and satisfaction guaranteed.

FRED J. ROIL & CO.,

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WE CAN DELIVER THE GOODS.

In stock, a large assortment of
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Poptins, Cotton Cashmeres, Canton Cords,
Meltons, Plaids, Chepe de Chene, Serges,
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Sport Goods, Plain and Corded Velvets,
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GARNEAU LIMITED,

Wholesale Dry Goods, 1st Floor T. A. Hall, Duckworth Street,
aug3,6m,1m Phone 727. P. O. Box, 36.

The "Evening Telegram" is read by
over 40,000 People daily.

W. P. A.

The members of the Women's Patriotic Association are specially invited to attend the Public Meeting of the Women of St. John's called by the Newfoundland Food Control Board for Wednesday evening next, in the Casino Theatre, at 8 o'clock.

JULIA HORWOOD,
dec8,2i Acting President.

TENDERS!

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the undersigned until 15th December, 1917, for LUMBER requirements to be delivered during 1918, for the following:—
150 M. BOARDS & SCANTLING.
43,000 PIECES SLEEPERS.

For particulars apply to
NOVA SCOTIA STEEL & COAL
CO., Bell Island,
or
W. B. FRASER,
Stabb Rowe's Cove, City.

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Patriotic Association!

Employment Committee

To enable the Committee to find Employment for honourably discharged Soldiers and Naval Reservists, Employers seeking help, and men seeking employment, should communicate their wishes to

H. W. MATTHEWS, Secretary,
Colonial Bldg., St. John's.
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Christmas Cards!

Our range of Christmas Cards this year is better than ever. A choice selection of Single Cards boxed and in envelopes, and splendid assortments in packets and boxes. Christmas Auto Stationery in boxes containing from 4 to 8 neatly designed Cards, with Greeting only—no verse; Envelopes to match, at 25c. and 40c. box.

The "Christmas Carol" Box assorted Cards, with Envelopes, 25c.
"Winged Wishes" Box, containing 20 charming Cards, 40c.
"Seal of Friendship" Box, special assortment, 25c.

The "Peerless" Box, 10 Cards, 30c.
"Memory's Pages" Box of 12 Artistic Cards, 30c.

"Merry Jest" Box of 10 Humorous Cards, 20c.
The "Elite" assortment of Selected Cards, 75c.

The "Golden Days" Cabinet of 8 Superior Cards, 55c.
Byrne's Special Packet Christmas and New Year Cards, 25c.

Byrne's Packet of 10 Selected Cards, 15c.
Byrne's Packet of 12 Choice Cards, 30c.

The "Homestead" Packet, 12 Cards, 15c.
The "Standard" Packet, 12 Cards, 8c.

The "Halborough" Packet, 6 Cards, 7c.
The "Fireside" Packet, 6 Cards, 5c.

Garrett Byrne,

Bookseller & Stationer.

WANTED — Immediately, Furnished or unfurnished, 7 or 8 room Modern House; apply H. SHEPHERD, P. O. Box 727. dec5,6i

FOR SALE or TO LET — House, 5 rooms; House, 4 rooms; House, partly finished; House, 9 rooms. Saw Mill for sale, run by water power and gas. Tenement, 3 rooms, to let. Several Fishing Rooms near Chain Rock. Land for sale or on long lease. A chance for every person to own their own home; part cash down and the balance in monthly payments with interest. F. C. WILLS, 226 Duckworth St. dec5,6i

FOR SALE—House, situated West End, containing 8 rooms; water and sewerage, electric lighted. Lease 99 years from 1894. Ground rent \$18.50 per annum. Apply at this office. oct31,1f

FOR SALE — A piece of Land, Freshhold between Freshwater and Merrymeeting Roads; fenced, ready for use; apply A. BALL, Shipwright, 42 Pennywell Road. dec5,3i,eod

FOR SALE — A Colt, 2 1/2 years old; apply to P. J. WARREN, No. 3 New Gower St. dec3,6i,eod

FOR SALE—At a Bargain, Kalinazoo Hall Stove; large size, in perfect order. Can be seen in use at J. H. PENMAN'S, 30 Circular Road. dec5,3i,eod

FOR SALE—Four or five cases Small Pica (11 point) Type. Will be sold cheap. Apply at THE EVENING TELEGRAM Office. nov17,1f

DRESSMAKING in all the latest styles. Ladies' Full Gored Costumes and Dresses from \$1.00; Ladies' Wrappers from 50c.; Children's Costumes, Dresses and Coats from 25c.; raincoats, Underwear and all plain sewing from 10c.; Boys' and Girls' Coats from 50c. MRS. O'BRIEN, 18 Cabot St. 11y29,a,1f

MINARD'S LIMENT FOR SALE EVERYWHERE

TO RENT — Coach House and Stable on Pennywell Road, recently in the occupancy of J. V. O'Dea & Co., with room for 4 horses and 4 carriages; immediate possession; apply to JOHN COADY, 82 Pennywell Road. dec8,3i

WANTED TO BUY — An Old House or Barn that must be taken down and removed; apply to WM. CUMMINGS, Head of Pleasant Street. dec8,2i

LOST — On Thursday last, between Belvidere Street and Methodist College, by way of Allandale and Harvey Roads, a Silver Wrist Watch. Finder apply at this office for reward. dec10,1i

LOST — Between Syme's Bridge and Queen Street, a Small Silver Souvenir Brooch—5th Siege Artillery Draft, P.E.I. Would finder kindly return to this office? dec10,1i

LOST—Discharged Soldier's Badge, No. 75. Reward; apply this office. dec8,3i

LOST — Black and White Setter Dog, collar on with name. Return to 46 Rennie's Mill Road and receive reward. dec8,2i

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A Good General Servant; reference required; apply 129 Military Road. dec10,2i

WANTED — At Once, a Good Strong Girl for housework; one who understands a little about cooking preferred; apply to MRS. W. H. DAVIDSON, Bon Accord Cottage, Cross Roads. dec10,3i,eod

WANTED — At Once, a General Servant; apply at 34 Cook St. any evening after 7 o'clock. dec10,2i

WANTED—A Good General Servant; washing out; reference required; apply to MRS. D. GALLOWAY, 188 Patrick St. dec10,1f

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WANTED—Ten Good Over-all Makers to take work at home; apply at once NELD, CLOTHING CO., LTD. dec10,1f

WANTED—A Smart, Active Boy, 15 or 16 years of age; one who would make himself generally useful about house and do messages; an out-port boy preferred; apply at BALSAM PLACE, Barnes' Road. dec10,2i

WANTED—A Compositor; apply MR. MAIDMENT, Dicks & Co. Printing Dept. dec10,2i

WANTED—2 Good Girls—One for dining room and one for general housework; references required; apply at BEAUMONT HOUSE (next General Post Office), Water Street. dec10,2i

WANTED—General Maid; apply to MRS. PERCIE JOHNSON, Leslie Street. dec10,3i

WANTED — At Once, a General Servant good wages given; references required; apply to MRS. JOHN CLOUSTON, 56 Forest Road. dec8,3i

WANTED—A Girl who has had some experience in a Grocery Store; apply to WM. CUMMINGS, Head of Pleasant St. dec8,2i

WANTED—A General Servant; washing out; reference required; apply to MRS. W. B. COMERFORD, 109 Military Road. dec8,1f

WANTED — Immediately, a Nurse-Housemaid; references required; apply MRS. D. H. MURRAY, 11 Gower Street. dec8,1f

WANTED — A Medical Practitioner for Foggo. For particulars apply to H. EARLE, Secretary of Medical Committee. dec7,6i

WANTED—A Good Salesman to canvass for well known firm. All local city work. Returned soldier or rejected man preferred. For particulars apply to BOX 125, this office. dec7,3i

WANTED — Immediately, a Good General Servant, where another is kept; apply MRS. CLAYTON, 6 Forest Road, between the hours of 6 and 8 p.m. dec7,3i

WANTED—A General Girl, apply to MRS. F. A. CALLANAN, 162 Patrick St. dec6,1f

WANTED—A Housekeeper to keep house for 3 single men; must understand plain cooking; apply by letter to "B. M.", care this office. dec5,6i

WANTED—A Good General Servant, where another is kept; must understand plain cooking; apply at 52 Circular Road. dec4,1f

WANTED — A Housemaid, who can give good reference; apply to MRS. KNOWLING, "The Ranges", Riverhead. dec4,1f

WANTED—A Man or a Lad from 18 to 20 for Mail Orders and Shipping; liberal wages to a competent person; apply to GARLAND'S Bookstore, Wholesale Dept. dec1,1f